



# Waupaca County WisKids Count Data Snapshot

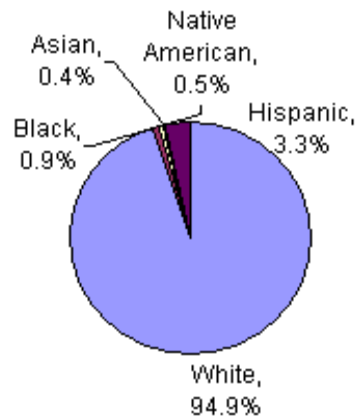
## Population

Total Population: 52,687

Under age 18: 5,542

Under age 5: 1,491

Children in single parent  
Households: 13.3%



## Living in Poverty

	2000	2005	WI
All Residents	6.8%	7.9%	10%
All Children	9.2%	10%	14.0%
Children age 5 - 17	7.9%	8%	12.4%
Children living below 200% of FPL	28.60%	NA	34.0%

## Health

	2000	2006	WI
Medicaid/BadgerCare recipients (per 1,000)	99.3	262	263
Food Share recipients (per 1,000)	14	55	67
Free/Reduced Lunch	20%	45%	31%
Births to Single Mothers	25.2%	30%	34%
Teen Births (per 1,000 15 - 19 yr olds)	31.3	30	30.6

## Employment, Education & Income

	2000	2006	WI
Median income	\$51,900	\$50,100	\$62,200
Unemployment rate	4%	6.0%	4.7%

W-2 Cash Benefits	NA	7	6,997
People over 25 w/o a HS diploma	17.4%	NA	11.7%
People over 25 w/HS diploma only	43.6%	NA	34.8%
People over age 25 with BA or higher	14.8%	NA	25%

<b>Housing</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>WI</b>
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Section 8 Housing Units	NA	97	28,703
People using emergency shelter*	NA	316	11,525
Fair market rent	\$415	\$556	\$666
Renters unable to afford FMR	28%	41%	40%
Housing wage	\$7.98	\$11.00	\$12.80

<b>Early Childhood</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>WI</b>
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Children under 6 with all parents working		NA	70.7%
Wisconsin Shares (per 1,000 children)	49	142	201
Four Year Old Kindergarten (per 1,000)	56	877	273
3 & 4 yr olds in Preschool	33.0%	NA	44.9%

Sources: Poverty Data from the US Census Bureau Small Area Income % Poverty Estimates  
 \* Data is from 2005, data includes all of the North Central region (Lincoln, Marathon, Marquette, Portage, Waupaca, Waushara & Wood Counties)  
 \*\* Data from 2000

**Questions about this WisKids Count Data Snapshot? Contact Martha Cranley at [mcranley@wccf.org](mailto:mcranley@wccf.org). For more data on child well being in Wisconsin visit [www.wccf.org](http://www.wccf.org).**

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